## **English Language Arts**

- Understanding of language and wordplay through creating captions and matching them with images
- Developing creativity and humor through generating witty and clever captions
- Improvement of storytelling and narrative skills by creating funny and engaging memes
- Enhancing understanding of humor, irony, and satire through engaging with meme culture

The What Do You Meme game is a fun way to encourage continued development of language and storytelling skills. Encourage the child to write their own captions for memes and create a miniproject around finding or creating memes that relate to their favorite books or stories. This can help them connect their interests with language arts in a creative and engaging way.

## **Book Recommendations**

- The Bad Guys (The Bad Guys #1) by Aaron Blabey: A humorous and engaging book series that can inspire creativity in creating funny captions. It's perfect for kids who enjoy humor and lively storytelling.
- <u>The One and Only Ivan</u> by Katherine Applegate: A heartwarming and thought-provoking story that can help children understand storytelling and narrative structure, which can enhance their meme creation skills.
- <u>Diary of a Wimpy Kid (Diary of a Wimpy Kid series)</u> by Jeff Kinney: This popular series incorporates humor and creative writing, making it a great fit for kids who love to create funny and engaging content, such as memes.

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